NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE CORPS COMMUNITY MONTH

Primary Care Photo Booth

A primary care photo booth provides a fun, but also impactful message about why students, clinicians, and primary care supporters are passionate about the field. Set up a photo booth on your school campus, at a National Health Service Corps (NHSC) site, or at a community center.

LEVEL OF PLANNING EFFORT



DIFFICULT

Getting Started

- **1. Confirm an event date** during the month of October. Remember Corps Community Month 2015 will take place during the entire month.
- **2. Secure a space** at a busy location on your campus, NHSC site, or in your community.
- **3. Register** your event online at: http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/corpscommunitymonth/eventregistration2015.html.
- **4.** Consider inviting someone who can share about their experience providing health care at an NHSC site. Refer to the "Identify Qualified Speakers and Partners" section.
- **5. Display** NHSC materials and NHSC Member videos at your event.
- **6. Print and hand out** Corps Community Month stickers during your event.

- 7. Create a simple backdrop using colors that represent your organization or the NHSC (blue and gold). Include props like hats, boas, sunglasses, masks, or clinical instruments. Attendees will have their photos taken with props and various statements they can choose from below. Print all four for a nice variety.
 - "I ♥ Primary Care"
 - "I Support Primary Care Because..."
 - "#ChoosePrimaryCare"
 - "Primary Care is..."
- **8. Get viral!** Share your images with the NHSC via Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram using #ChoosePrimaryCare.

Identify Speakers and Partners

- Local NHSC Ambassadors
- State Primary Care Offices
- Area Health Education Centers
- Post a request on the NHSC Facebook wall
- Special Inquiry to CorpsCommunityMonth@ hrsa.gov

Promote your event

- Send out a "Save the Date" via email and collect RSVPs.
- Seek out media coverage from your campus or community outlets.
- Create and send out a media advisory.
- Hang posters on a bulletin board and in areas where potential participants would frequent and use the Corps Community Month Fact Sheet and Event Flyer as tools.





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Media Resources

- Backgrounder
- Media Advisory Template
- Press Release Template

Online Resources

NHSC.hrsa.gov/CorpsCommunityMonth

- **f** NationalHealthServiceCorps
- @NHSCorps
- Playlist

#ChoosePrimaryCare